



**Great Basin Priority Summary - Based on Most Recent 209's
10/08/2020**

Priority	Unit ID	Incident	Suppression Strategy	Descriptive Location	Size	24 hr Change	% Ctn	Expected Ctn Date	Complexity / IC Name	Crews		Helicopters			Total # Persons	Critical Needs	Threats
										T-1	T-2IA or 2	T-1	T-2	T-3			
New and Emerging Initial Attack Incidents																	
		None															
Ongoing Large Fires – Prioritized for Resource Commitment																	
1	UT-ASF	East Fork (Phinney Lake)	57% Confine 43% Full Supp	13 mi. N of Hanna, UT	77,864	+1,226	68%	10/30/20	T2 IMT CA Team 10 Daren Dalrymple	3	8	3	3	1	465	1 T1 crews 2 T2IA crews HEBM HLCO FBAN and Security	Increased threat to critical infrastructure in Yellowstone drainage. Moderate fire behavior in Brown Duck Basin & Lake Forest Mountain. Moderate fire activity in South Fork of Rock Creek
2	ID-SCF	Meridian	60% Monitor 40% Confine	36 mi W of Mackay, ID	485	+200	7%	11/1/20	Type 4 IC Pete Benes	1	0	2	0	2	50	None	Timber, wildlife habitat and trail infrastructure.
3	ID-PAF	Woodhead	Full Suppression	3 mi NW of Cambridge, ID	96,478	0	63%	10/31/20	Type 3 IMT Arthur Grooms	1	1	2	0	2	120	None	As fuels continue to dry, threat increases to low for residences in the Wildhorse & Council Cuprum Rd/Hornet Creek areas, critical livestock forage, and high-valued timber.
Ongoing Long Duration Fires – Not Being Prioritized for Resource Commitment																	
	ID-STF	Badger	Full Suppression	20 mi SW of Oakley, ID	90,143	0	99%	10/15/20	Type 3 IMT Clay Stephens	0	2	1	1	1	126	IR Flight	Threats are expected to subside as crews continue to secure perimeter. Threats to cultural & natural resources, SGH.
	ID-BOF	Buck	50% Monitor 50% Full Supp	30 mi. NE of Cascade, ID	19,477 (weekly 209s)	+3	40%	10/31/20	Type 4 IC M. Haupt	0	1	0	1	0	54	IR flight	Fire behavior & growth are currently very low. Minimal impacts expected.



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	UT-ASF	Center Creek Trail	Confine	17 mi N of Mountain Home, UT	1,253	0	0%	10/30/20	T2 IMT CA Team 10 Daren Dalrymple	0	0	0	0	1	6	None	Minimal fire threat
	UT-ASF	Rhoades Canyon 2	Full Suppression	8 mi NW of Hanna, UT	38	0	0%	10/31/20	Type 3 IC John Rupp	0	0	2	2	1	17	T1 crews IR Flight	Electrical structures, North Fork Duchesne recreational area
	ID-STF	Trap	39% Monitor 20% Confine 41% Full Supp	9 mi NW of Stanley, ID	2,627	0	50%	10/30/20	Type 4 IC J Renz	0	1	0	0	1	23	None	Snags & Hwy ongoing concerns and critical fish habitat.
<p align="center">*** Notes of Significance ***</p> <p align="center">Fires highlighted in yellow have submitted a FINAL ICS-209 or will no longer meet criteria to be prioritized</p>																	
	NV-CCD	Baccarat	Full Suppression	6 mi NE of Stead, NV	10,500	0	100%	10/8/20	T3 IC Matt Croswait	0	2	0	2	2	74	None	None

Evening Brief

Date: Thursday October 8th, 2020

Weather Summary

*** Cold Front with Strong Winds, Higher RH and Precipitation by the Weekend ***

Well above normal temperatures and dry weather will continue Friday, as an unusually strong high-pressure ridge along the West Coast continues to dominate across the entire western US. Haze/smoke from California will continue to impact Nevada and Utah occasionally.

Afternoon temperatures will continue to be 8-12 degrees above normal, along with afternoon humidity levels ranging from 6-12% across the southern half of the Great Basin, and 13-20% across most northern areas, along with moderate to poor humidity recovery across most mid-upper slopes. Mild breezy winds continue Friday across the southern half of the Great Basin and parts of the Sierra Front. Gusts of 20-30 mph are expected in these areas.

By Saturday, southwest winds will begin to increase across the western and northern portion of the Great Basin, as a deepening storm system is expected to approach the West Coast. The moisture is moving slower than previously forecast, with drier humidity accompanying the increasing winds across parts of the northern half of Nevada, much of southern Idaho into Wyoming on Saturday, and southern areas of Nevada, Utah, and the AZ Strip on Sunday, where **High Risk has been issued**.

Precipitation will begin moving into Idaho by Saturday afternoon, and spread across much of Idaho and Wyoming through Sunday. Precipitation will also dip down into far northern Nevada and northern Utah. The best chances of wetting rains will occur over central and eastern Idaho into Wyoming, especially in the higher terrain with snowfall likely above 7,000 feet. Precipitation in Utah and Nevada will be more spotty, with the best chances of any wetting rains in the higher terrain of the Northern Wasatch and far northern Nevada. Southern areas are expected to remain dry with this front.

Weaker disturbances will bring additional precipitation to parts of Idaho/Wyoming toward the early and mid-portion of next week.

Preparedness Levels & Great Basin Fire Activity (from WFDSS)

Great Basin	PL 3	Light Initial Attack Activity
National	PL 4	New Fires and Acres: 9 fires for 3.8 acres / 1,429 acres Large Fire Growth

Fuels/Fire Potential

*** Fuel and Fire Behavior Advisory Remains in Effect for Parts of Idaho, Eastern and southern Nevada into Utah ***

The continuation of above normal temperatures and very dry conditions will bring about more gradual drying of fuels across all areas of the Great Basin, including Idaho and Wyoming through the end of the week. Fuels in the southern 2/3 of the Great Basin are still at record level dryness. Fuels in

northern areas are well above normal and approaching record highs for the time of year in some areas.

Live Fuel moisture in low elevation brush remains critically dry, between 60-100% in most areas, which correlates with extreme fire behavior.

By Saturday/Sunday, a cold front will bring much colder temperatures, higher RH and precipitation to Idaho and Wyoming, and into far northern Nevada/Utah. Additional precipitation chances across parts of central and eastern Idaho and Wyoming are expected early to mid-next week further lowering fire danger. However, precipitation will be more spotty further south, and no precipitation is expected into southern Nevada, southern Utah or the AZ Strip.

Resources:

Aviation within the Great Basin

- 1 VLAT, 2 LATs, 0 CL-415
- 16 SEATs, 0 FB, 7 AA, 0 ASM, 0 LP
- 8 Type 1 Helicopters / 7 Comm.
- 7 Type 2 Helicopters / 7 Comm.
- 17 Type 3 Helicopters / 15 Comm.

Crews Committed within the Great Basin

- 5 IHCs / 0 Available
- 8 Type 2IA / 2 Available

Current Incident Details

Today's Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
*Chruch Farm	2020-UTSCS-200658	0.1	Out 10/07/20	39.20914	112.405	NO
*SLOAN 28	2020-NVSND-501654	0.1	Not Contained	35.87948	115.2125	NO
Sage	2020-IDSCF-020179	0.1	Not Contained	45.41352	114.0943	NO
Cold Spring	2020-UTUWF-001052	0.1	Not Contained	40.52345	110.9302	NO
Armstrong	2020-UTMOD-000410	0.1	Contained 10/08/20	37.56265	110.0172	NO
Mason Springs	2020-UTBRS-001053	2	Contained 10/08/20	41.74643	112.125	NO
DRY 2	2020-NVSND-501658	0.9	Controlled 10/08/20	36.41533	114.8476	NO
Kolob Road	2020-UTSWS-000896	0.3	Contained 10/08/20	37.54292	113.0506	NO
Crooked Wash	2020-UTMOD-000411	0.1	Controlled 10/08/20	38.92804	109.8914	NO

* Fires occurred previous night, not today

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)